COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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APPLICATION OF BIG SANDY RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION TO PASS-THROUGH AN INCREASE OF ITS WHOLESALE POWER SUPPLIER PURSUANT)))	CASE NO. 2008-00410
TO KRS 278.455(2))	

THIRD DATA REQUEST OF COMMISSION STAFF TO BIG SANDY RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION

Big Sandy Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation ("Big Sandy"), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, is to file with the Commission the original and five copies of the following information, with a copy to all parties of record. The information requested herein is due on or before March 26, 2009. Responses to requests for information shall be appropriately bound, tabbed, and indexed. Each response shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided.

Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or the person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

Big Sandy shall make timely amendment to any prior response if it obtains information which indicates that the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect. For any requests to which Big Sandy fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, Big Sandy shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.

Careful attention shall be given to copied material to ensure that it is legible. When the requested information has been previously provided in this proceeding in the requested format, reference may be made to the specific location of that information in responding to this request. When applicable, the requested information shall be separately provided for total company operations and jurisdictional operations.

1. Provide a final version of the tariff Big Sandy proposes to implement to flow through to its customers the increase in wholesale rates contained in the March 13, 2009 Settlement Agreement filed by East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. in Case No. 2008-00409.

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Executive Director

Public Service Commission

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DATED: MARCH 20, 2009

cc: All Parties

¹ Case No. 2008-00409, General Adjustment of Electric Rates of East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. (Ky. PSC, filed Oct. 31, 2008).

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